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**DA 05-2759**

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## **NOTICE OF STREAMLINED DOMESTIC 214 APPLICATION GRANTED**

### **WC Docket No. 05-264**

On September 20, 2005, the Wireline Competition Bureau issued a public notice seeking comment on the transfer of control of Red River Networks, LLC's ("RRN") assets to NOSVA Limited Partnership ("NOSVA") (collectively, "Applicants").<sup>1</sup> This application has been granted pursuant to the Commission's streamlined procedures for domestic section 214 transfer of control applications.<sup>2</sup> The Wireline Competition Bureau has determined that grant of this application serves the public interest.<sup>3</sup>

The Commission received one comment in opposition to the proposed transfer of control from Trans National Communications International, Inc. ("TNCI"), requesting that the Commission deny the Applicants' application.<sup>4</sup> TNCI asserts that RRN violated a court approved settlement agreement, arising out of a lawsuit that is unrelated to the instant transfer of control application, by failing to make a timely settlement payment to TNCI.<sup>5</sup>

RRN filed reply comments in response to TNCI's comments, which state that RRN promptly cured the breach by wiring funds to satisfy the past-due payment to TNCI, as was permitted pursuant to the settlement agreement.<sup>6</sup> RRN provided a copy of the wire transfer, as an attachment to its reply comments, as evidence of RRN's payment.<sup>7</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Domestic Section 214 Application Filed For Transfer of Control of Red River Networks, LLC to NOSVA Limited Partnership, WC Docket No. 05-264, DA 05-2474 (rel. Sept. 20, 2005).

<sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 63.03.

<sup>3</sup> *Implementation of Further Streamlining Measures for Domestic Section 214 Authorizations*, CC Docket No. 01-150, Report and Order, 17 FCC Rcd 5517, 5529, para. 22 (2002).

<sup>4</sup> See Comments of Trans National Communications International, Inc., WC Docket No. 05-264 (filed Oct. 4, 2005) (TNCI Comments).

<sup>5</sup> See generally TNCI Comments.

<sup>6</sup> See Reply Comments of Red River Networks, LLC, WC Docket No. 05-264 (filed Oct. 17, 2005) (RRN Reply). In a companion filing, RRN sought an extension of time to file its reply comments because RRN's

After careful consideration of the record in this proceeding, we conclude that the concerns raised by TNCI are not sufficient to persuade us to deny the application. We conclude that it would be improper to delay this transaction based on the record compiled by the parties. We are satisfied that the proposed transaction is in the public interest and should be granted accordingly.

For purposes of computation of time for filing a petition for reconsideration or application for review, or for judicial review of the Commission's decision, the date of "public notice" shall be the release date of this notice.<sup>8</sup>

**Effective Date of Grant:** 10/21/05

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counsel's office was evacuated as a result of Hurricane Katrina and did not receive notice in a timely manner. *See* Request of Red River Networks, LLC to File Late Its Reply to Comments Filed by Trans National Communications International, Inc., WC Docket No. 05-264 (filed October 17, 2005). We grant RRN's request in light of the demonstrated special circumstances which warrant an extension of time.

<sup>7</sup> *See* RRN Reply Attach.

<sup>8</sup> *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.4 (computation of time).